

Stillwater County Weed District

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Stillwater Weed Management District

Regular Meeting
March 30, 2021
2:00 PM
Weed District Office

Approved

Present: Allen Nordahl

Bob Kirch Kerry Kovanda Norman Moss Dana Weatherford

Meeting called to order at 2:00 pm.

Introductions: Introductions were made as the Stillwater County Weed District has a newly appointed board member, Norman Moss. Norm was appointed at the Commissioners' regular agenda meeting on 12-15-21. He is representing the Board from the Park City area.

Minutes from previous meeting(s): 12-15-20 Meeting Minutes

Bob moved to approve the meeting minutes for the December 15, 2020 meeting as read. Kerry second. Minutes approved. Motion carried.

2021-2022 FY Budget Discussion/Approval: After Lengthy discussion of the FY 2021-2022 preliminary budget and setting projected figures for the individual line items, Bob moved to accept the budget as prepared for the budget meeting on April 8, 2021 with the Commission. There were no additional changes made for the upcoming year except for monies being reallocated on different line items. Another notable change is the Weed District will no longer utilizing contracted spraying services for county roads. All of the county roads will be treated in-house during the upcoming spray season by the Weed District. Norm second. Motion carried.

New Subdivision weed inspection rates discussion: Dana stated the planning office has numerous subdivision proposals coming through their office. Part of adopting final plat on subdivision is a completed weed management plan with the Weed District after an inspection is completed. Dana stated no motion will need to be made. The Board was made aware that it would be a good idea to increase our inspection rates with more strict stipulations. Dana will report back at a later date to the Board with more findings from the County Attorney, Planning Office, and Commission. There was a folder presented to each member with the current



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subdivision rates and procedures from Gallatin, Sweet Grass, and Carbon counties. More discussion and decisions will be made at a later meeting.

Coordinator Report: In addition to the three current seasonal employees, Dana reported that two temporary sprayer positions will be opening the first week of April and will advertise for two weeks. Interviews will be conducted the last week of April. The Board requested a weed tour and spray crew meet-and-greet this summer, as long as there are no longer health restrictions in place at some point in the summer.

Public Comment: None

Bob motioned to adjourn the meeting. Kerry seconded. Meeting adjourned at 4:12 pm.



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